



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/533,941

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**Examiner:** Sanza L. McClendon

Applicant: Dirk Wybe GRIJPMA et al.

**Title:** METHOD FOR PROVIDING SHAPED BIODEGRADABLE AND ELASTOMERIC STRUCTURES OF (CO) POLYMERS 1,3-TRIMETHYLENE CARBONATE (TMC), SHAPED BIODEGRADABLE AND ELASTOMERIC STRUCTURES, AND THE USE OF THESE STRUCTURES

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 27, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

|                    | <b>Claims remaining<br/>after Amendment</b> |   | <b>Highest number<br/>previously paid for</b> |   | <b>Present<br/>extra</b> |
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